

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 759

By Pody

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize David Gal-Chis, 2014
Valedictorian of Wilson Central High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, David Gal-Chis is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2014 graduating class at Wilson Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Gal-Chis has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, David has earned an exemplary grade point average while also dedicating his time and energies to a number of extracurricular organizations, including FCA, NHS, SNHS, Friends of Rachel, DECA, Beta Club, and NSHSS; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Gal-Chis is a upstanding member of his community who participates in a number of civic endeavors, including partaking in a number of mission trips through his church and the Romanian Baptist Youth Association, volunteering for flood relief projects and at the Nashville Rescue Mission, and serving as the organizer and executive director of a charity concert which benefitted Meals on Wheels; and

WHEREAS, a leader among his peers, David, who was born in Oradea, Romania, is the composer and author of Wilson Central's alma mater, penned an article which was published in an international magazine, is a National Merit Scholar Commended Student, and even had an

award named after him. The David Gal-Chis Honorary Award was created by West Wilson Middle School to recognize foremost ranking of academic excellence in every subject area; and

WHEREAS, David Gal-Chis's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, David's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Cosmin and Rodica Gal-Chis, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, David's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2014 Wilson Central High School Valedictorian, David Gal-Chis, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.